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CHAP. I.

Of the Election and Inveſtiture of the three New Knights at White-hall.

THERE being three Stalls vacant, by the Death of three Knights and Companions of the Moſt Noble Order of the *Garter*, *ſcil.* the Stall of his Highneſs Prince *Rupert*, who deceaſed *Novemb.* the 29*th.* 1682. The Stall of the Earl of *Salisbury*, who died about the 11*th.* of *June* 1683. And the Stall of the Earl of St. *Albans*, who died *Jan.* 2*d.* 1683. At a Chapter of the ſaid Moſt Noble Order, held at *White-hall* in the preſence of the Sovereign of the ſaid Order, on the Firſt of *January* laſt, *ſcil.* 1684. The moſt Illuſtrious Prince *George*, Brother to the preſent King of *Denmark* (having upon the 28*th.* of *July* laſt, married the Lady *Anne*, younger Daughter to his Royal Highneſs, the Duke of *York*, and Neece to our preſent Sovereign, King *Charles* the Second) was elected a Knight-Companion of the ſaid moſt Noble Order, being firſt Knighted by His Majeſty, Sovereign of the ſaid Order, and then inveſted with the two Principal Enſigns of the Order, *ſcil.* the *Garter* and *George*. The uſual Admonitions or Significations upon the ſaid Inveſtiture being pronounced,

Firſt, Upon buckling on the *Garter* about the Prince's Legg, this following Admonition, *viz.*

To the Laud and Honor of Almighty God, his immaculate Mother, and St. George *the Holy Martyr, tie, or gird your Leg with this Noble* Garter, *wearing it to the encreaſe of your Honor, and in Token and Remembrance of this moſt Noble Order; remembring that thereby your being admoniſhed and encouraged in all juſt Battels and Wars, which only you ſhall take in hand, both ſtrongly to fight, valiantly to ſtand, and honourably to have the Victory.*

Secondly.

Secondly, Upon putting on the *George* pendant at a Sky-coloured Ribband about the Prince's Neck, the Admonition enſuing was read to him, *viz.*

To the Encreaſe of your Honor, and in Token of the Honourable Order you have received, take this Ribband about your Neck, with the Image of the Holy Martyr, and Chriſt's Knight, St. George, *by whoſe Aid you being defended, may paſs through the Proſperities and Adverſities of this World, that having here the Victory as well of your Ghoſtly as Bodily Enemies, you may not only receive the Glory and Renown of Temporal Chivalry, but alſo at laſt the endleſs and everlaſting Reward of Victory.*

At another Chapter of the ſaid Order, held at *White-hall* the 10*th.* day of the ſaid month of *January*, for filling up the two other vacant Stalls, the High and Mighty Princes, *Charles Seymour*, Duke of *Somerſet*, and *George Fitz-Roy*, Duke of *Northumberland* were in like manner elected Knights-Companions of the ſaid moſt noble Order; the former whereof, *viz.* the Duke of *Somerſet* was at the ſame time inveſted with the ſaid two Principal Enſigns of the ſaid Order, *viz.* the *Garter* and *George*, the foremention'd Significations or Admonitions being then likewiſe pronounced, and read unto him upon the ſaid Inveſtiture. But the Duke of *Northumberland* being then in *France*; from whence being ſent for by His Majeſty, he arrived not till about the ſecond of *March* laſt; ſhortly after which being inveſted with the *George* and *Garter* in manner aforeſaid. And His Majeſty and the Court being returned from *Newmarket*, the day for the Inſtallation was appointed the 8*th.* of this Inſtant *April*, 1684.

CHAP. II.

Of the Inſtallation of the ſaid three Knights, at the Caſtle of Windſor; *and firſt of their Proceedings to the* Chapter-Houſe.

HIS Majeſty, and the whole Court being removed from *White-hall* to *Windſor*, and the three Knights Elect, *viz.* Prince *George*, the Duke of *Somerſet*, and Duke of *Northumberland* being alſo arrived there, together with the Dukes of *Albemarl* and *Beaufort*, who were the two Knights Companions of the ſaid Order, Commiſſioned by his Majeſty to perform the ſaid Inſtallation; and being all five habited after the uſual manner, in their Doublets, and Trunck Hoſe, of Cloth of Silver, with white Gloves, Shoes and Stockins, Garters and Roſes, *&c.* They met about nine of the Clock in the Morning the ſaid 8*th.* day of *April*, at the Lodgings of the Biſhop of *Rocheſter*, who is Dean of *Windſor*, and Regiſter of the ſaid moſt Noble Order, being a little to the Eaſtward of the Chappel of St. *George*. And the Robes, and other things to be uſed at the Inſtallation of the ſaid three Knights, being laid in readineſs at the lower end of the Table in the *Chapter-houſe*, by Sir *Will. Dugdale*, Garter, who is the Principal King of Arms, and a peculiar Officer of the ſaid Order, *viz.* for each of them, a Surcoat of Crimſon-Velvet, or Purple, lined with white; a Sword and Belt; a Mantle of Sky coloured Velvet lined with white, with a Velvet Hood thereto belonging; a great *Coller* and *George*, conſiſting of 26 Garters of Gold, Enamell'd and Interlaced

laced with as many Knots, with the Figure of St. *George* appendant thereat, enricht with Diamonds; a *Velvet Cap*, the Band enriched with Diamonds, and adorned with a great Jewel before, and a large Plume of *White Feathers*, with one black Tuft in the middle; and lastly, a Book of the Statutes of the said most Noble Order, richly bound.

The poor Knights and Prebends belonging to the said Colledge of *Windsor*, being in their proper Habits [*viz.* the Poor Knights in Gowns of Blew Cloth, with an Escutcheon of the Arms of St. *George*, *viz.* a red Cross in a White Field on the Shoulder, and the Prebends in Mantles of Crimson, or Purple Silk, with a little Cross in a Circle] and having placed themselves in order in the Cloysters, between the said Deans Lodgings, and the Chappel of St. *George*: And the other Kings, Heralds, and Pursivants of Arms, having habited themselves in the Dean's Hall, with His Majesty's Coats of Arms richly embroidered according to their several Degrees. The Proceeding to the said Chappel was as followeth.

First the poor Knights, two and two, the *Junior* first.

Next, the Prebends two and two, the *Junior* first.

Then the Officers of Arms two and two, the Pursivants first.

Then the Knights Elect, habited only in their Doublets and Hose of Cloth of Silver, as before is said, single one after another, the *Junior* first, *viz.*

The Duke of *Northumberland*,
The Duke of *Somerset*,
Prince *George*.

Then the Officers of the Order, habited in their Mantles of Crimson Sattin, Lined with White, *viz.* Dr. *Turner*, Bishop of *Rochester* Register of the Order, wearing the Badge of his Office, *viz.* a Book embellisht, with a Garter, and two Pens across.

Sir *William Dugdale*, Garter King of Arms, bearing the Commission for the Installation, and wearing the Badge of his Office hanging in a Gold Chain.

Sir *Thomas Duppa*, Usher of the said Order, wearing the peculiar Badge of his Office, hanging likewise in a Gold Chain.

Then the Duke of *Albemarle*, and the Duke of *Beaufort*, Commissioners for the said Installation, in their under Suits of Cloth of Silver, and Mantles of Blew Velvet, with their Caps and Feathers on their Heads.

Being entred the Chappel, the three Knights Elect, turning to the left Hand, reposed themselves on three Chairs, placed at the Back of the Quire, the Prince sitting in the middle, while the two Knights Commissioners went into the Chapter House, which is just at the entring the Chappel on the Right Hand; the Officers of the Order going in before them.

CHAP. III.

The Ceremonies in the Chapter-House.

THE two Knights Commissioners, and the three Officers of the Order being thus entred into the *Chapter-House*, *Garter*, King of Arms, with three Reverences presented the Sovereign's Commission for the Installing

of the ſaid three Elect Knights, to the *ſenior* Knight Commiſſioner, who delivering it to the *Regiſter*, the *Regiſter* forthwith read the ſame and then returned it to the ſaid Knights Commiſſioners, who thereupon delivered it again to the ſaid *Regiſter*, to be enter'd on Record in the *Regiſter-book* of the ſaid Order.

Then *Garter*, King of Arms, being commanded by the Knights Commiſſioners, to bring in Prince *George* of *Denmark*, came out of the *Chapter-Houſe*, and having made his Obeyſances to the ſaid Prince (who ſate all this while at the Back of the *Quire*) conducted him into the ſaid *Chapter-Houſe*, where the Prince having made his Reverence, the *ſenior* Knight Commiſſioner declared the Sovereign's great Favor towards him, in a full Admittance into this Honourable Society; which the Prince humbly acknowledging, the ſaid Commiſſioners, with *Garter*'s Aſſiſtance, inveſted him with the *Surcoat* before-mentioned, and girt the *Sword* about him over his *Surcoat*, while the *Regiſter* pronounced the Admonition following.

Take this Robe of Purple to the Encreaſe of your Honor, and in Token or Sign of the moſt Honourable Order you have received; wherewith you being defended, may be bold, not only ſtrongly to fight, but alſo to offer your ſelf to ſhed your Blood for Chriſt's *Faith, the Liberties of the* Church, *and the juſt and neceſſary Defence of them that be oppreſſed and needy.*

The Prince being thus inveſted with the *Surcoat*, and girt with the *Sword*, remained in the *Chapter-Houſe* with the Knights Commiſſioners, whilſt *Garter* having received the like Command to bring in the next elect Knight, *viz.* the Duke of *Somerſet*, introduced him into the *Chapter-Houſe* in like manner; where being inveſted, and all other Ceremonies performed, as they were to the Prince, *Garter* was ſent out again for the youngeſt Knight Elect, *ſcilt.* the Duke of *Northumberland*; to whom all things were performed in like manner.

CHAP. IV.

The Proceeding into the Quire.

THE three Knights Elect being thus inveſted with part of the Habit of the ſaid Noble Order, repoſed themſelves in the *Chapter-Houſe*, while the Knights Commiſſioners, and Officers of the Order, *&c.* proceeded into the *Choire* from the ſaid *Chapter-Houſe*, through the North Iſle, and in at the *Weſt* Door of the *Choire* under the Organ in this manner.

Firſt, The poor Knights, two and two, the *Junior* firſt.

Next, the Prebends, two and two, the *Junior* firſt.

Then the Officers of Arms, two and two, the Purſivants firſt.

Then the three Officers of the Order before-mentioned, the *Regiſter* in the Middle.

Then the Knights Commiſſioners with their Caps and Feathers on their Heads until they came to the Quire.

Being entred the *Choire*, the *Poor Knights* (making their Obeyſances in the middle of the *Quire*, firſt to the Altar, and then to the Sovereign's Stall) aſcended to the Steps before the Altar, and there divided themſelves to the right and left.

Next,

Next, the *Prebends* having made the like Obeyſances, took their Seats or Stalls, only two of them were conducted up by a *Virger* to the Altar, to receive the Atchievements, *&c.*

Then the Officers of Arms having made the like Obeyſances, aſcended likewiſe to the Steps before the Altar, and dividing themſelves to the right and left, ſtood before the poor Knights.

Then the three Officers of the Order, having made the like Obeyſances, came and ſtood before their own Seat or Form, on the Right Hand the Quire, a little before the Sovereign's Stall.

Laſtly, the two Knights Commiſſioners, after the like Obeyſances, came and ſtood in the *Choire*, under their reſpective Banners or Atchievements, which Atchievements, by the Sovereign's particular Warrant had been removed higher into their proper places the Day before, to the end the Atchievements of the two New Elect Knights-Subjects might be ſet up over the two loweſt Stalls.

CHAP. V.

The Offering of the Atchievements of the three defunct Knights.

THE Atchievements of the ſaid three defunct Knights, *ſcilt.* Prince *Rupert*, the Earl of St. *Albans*, and the Earl of *Salisbury*, being taken down, and made clean, and placed in readineſs, directly under each defunct Knight's Stall, *Garter* came from his Seat, and having made his uſual Obeyſances to the Altar and Sovereign's Stall, and alſo to the Knights Commiſſioners, conducted them to the place where the Atchievements of Prince *Rupert*, the eldeſt defunct Knight, were laid.

Then the two Kings of Arms, called *Clarencieux* and *Norroy*, came down from the Steps of the Altar to the Body of the Choire, and having made their uſual Reverences to the Altar, and Sovereign's Stall, and alſo to the Knights Commiſſioners, diſpoſed themſelves a little before the ſaid Knights Commiſſioners on either ſide.

Which done, the two Knights Commiſſioners having received from *Garter* the Banner of the ſaid Prince *Rupert* half rolled up, made their double Obeyſances; and (being preceded by the ſaid Kings of Arms) paſſed up towards the Altar, bearing the lower end of the Staff foremoſt; and making another double Reverence at the firſt *Haut pas*, the two Kings of Arms, after an humble Obeyſance, divided themſelves, to make way for the Knights Commiſſioners, who being come to the upper *Haut pas*, made a ſingle Reverence to the Altar, and raiſing the Point of the Banner upwards, preſented it with a Bow to the two Canons or Prebends beforementioned, who depoſited it upon Cuſhions laid before the Altar.

Which done, the ſaid Kings of Arms having conducted the aforeſaid Knights Commiſſioners back into the *Choire*, returned unto their places; whereupon the two *Senior* Heralds came down, and making their double Reverences, as alſo to the ſaid Knights Commiſſioners, to whom *Garter* delivered the Sword of the ſaid Defunct Knight (*Prince Rupert*) with the *Pommel* or Hilt upwards, conducted them up to the Altar, where, after the uſual Reverences, it was offered as aforeſaid. Then returning again, *Garter* delivered them the Helm and Creſt of the ſaid Defunct Knight; which

which they offered in like manner, the two next Heralds preceeding before them.

In like ſort the Atchievements, *viz.* the Banner, Sword, and Helm and Creſt, of the next Defunct Knight, *ſcil.* the Earl of St. *Albans* were offered up by the ſaid Knights Commiſſioners, conducted by two Officers of Arms.

Laſtly, The Atchievements of the third Defunct Knight (*ſcil.* the Earl of *Sarum*) were offered up in like manner.

Which being performed, the knights Commiſſioners making their uſual Obeyſances, returned, and ſtood under their reſpective Banners, and the Officers of Arms return'd to their Stations at the Steps before the Altar.

CHAP. VI.

The Inſtallation of the Three Elect Knights, and firſt, the introducing the Senior *Knight Elect to his Stall.*

THE Atchievements thus offered, the poor Knights came down from the Steps before the Altar (the *Junior* firſt) into the middle of the *Choire*; where making their double Reverences, they proceeded out of the Chappel towards the *Chapter-Houſe*; and next to them, the Officers of Arms in like Order, as alſo the three Officers of the Order, and the two Knights Commiſſioners.

Being come into the *North* Iſle, the Poor Knights divided themſelves to the Right and left, and the Heralds paſſing between them, nearer to the *Chapter-Houſe* Door, divided themſelves in like manner, while the Officers of the Order and Knights Commiſſioners paſſing through them, entered the *Chapter-houſe*, where the three Knights Elect ſtill remained.

Whence after a ſhort ſtay, the Knights Commiſſioners bringing the *Senior* Knight Elect (*ſcil.* Prince *George*) they proceeded towards the Quire in form aforeſaid, that is to ſay, firſt, the poor Knights, next, the Officers of Arms; then the three Officers of the Order, *Garter* going in the middle betwixt the *Regiſter* and *Uſher* of the Order) bearing on a Purple or *Crimſon* Velvet Cuſhion, the *Mantle*, *Hood*, *great Coller*, and *Book* of Statutes before him. Then the Prince, or *Senior* Knight Elect, bare-headed, with his Cap and Feather in his Hand betwixt the two Knights Commiſſioners, who wore their Caps and Feathers till the Entrance into the Quire.

Thus entring the Quire, the poor Knights, and Officers of Arms, making their uſual Obeyſances, went up to their former Station at the Steps before the Altar, while the Officers of the Order making the like Reverences, came before the Stall deſign'd for the *ſenior* Knight Elect, being the Fourth Stall on the Side called the *Prince's* Side; the three Superior Stalls on that Side being thoſe of the *King* of *Sweden*, the *Duke* of *York*, and the *Prince Elector* of *Brandenburgh*: And *Garter* having orderly diſpoſed the *Mantle*, *Hood*, *Coller*, &c. before the Stall deſign'd for the ſaid Prince, came and ſtood in the Quire, with the other two Officers juſt before the ſaid Stall.

Then the Knights Commiſſioners making the like Reverences, came into the lower or middle Row of Stalls directly under the deſigned Stall of the ſaid Prince or *ſenior* Knight Elect, whom they introduced between them

them into the ſaid lower Space or Row oppoſite to his Stall, where being placed, the *Regiſter* of the ſaid Order ſtanding in the Quire before him, read his Oath to him, *Garter* holding the Book; the Form of which Oath is as follows.

You being choſen to be one of the Honourable Company of this moſt Noble Order of the Garter, *ſhall promiſe and ſwear by the Holy Evangeliſts, by you here touched, that wittingly or willingly you ſhall not break any Statute of the ſaid Order, or any Articles in them contained; the ſame being agreeable and not repugnant to the Laws of Almighty God and the Laws of this Realm, as far forth as to you belongeth and appertaineth; ſo God help you and his Holy Word.*

The Oath being thus adminiſtred, and the ſaid Elect Knight having kiſſed the Book, he was led by the Knights Commiſſioners up to the Stall appointed for him, through the middle Entrance, and by them placed before it.

CHAP. VII.

The Inſtallation of Prince George, *being the* Senior *Knight Elect.*

THE *Prince* thus ſtanding in his Stall (which, as is ſaid before, was the Fourth on the Princes Side) *Garter* advanced into the lower Row of Stalls to the place where the Prince took his Oath, and with an Obeyſance to the Knights Commiſſioners, preſented to them the *Mantle* wherewith they inveſted the Prince, and put on the *Hood* upon his Right Shoulder over the *Mantle*, bringing the *Tippet* athwart his Breaſt, and tucking it under his *Belt* or *Girdle*, in the doing whereof the *Regiſter* read unto him the Admonition following.

Take this Mantle *of Heavenly Colour, in ſign and token of the moſt Honourable Order you have received, and to the encreaſe of your Honour, ſigned and marked as you ſee with a Red Eſcotcheon of our Lord's Croſs, to the Intent that you being always defended by the vertue and ſtrength thereof, may paſs through your Enemies, and them alſo overcome and vanquiſh, ſo that at the laſt, for your worthy and approved Acts, you may after this Temporal Chivalry, come to Eternal Triumphant Joys in Heaven.*

Then the Knights Commiſſioners put on the great *Coller* of the Order about his Shoulders, tying it at each Shoulder over his *Mantle* and *Hood*, while the *Regiſter* read to him the Admonition enſuing.

To the Encreaſe of your Honour, and in Token of the Honourable Order you have received, take this Coller about your Neck, with the Image of the Holy Martyr, and Chriſt's Knight St. George, *by whoſe Aid you being defended, may paſs through the Proſperities and Adverſities of this World, that having here the Victory as well of your Ghoſtly as Bodily Enemies, you may not only receive the Glory and Renown of Temporal Chivalry; but alſo at the laſt, the endleſs and everlaſting Reward of Victory.*

After this the ſaid Knights Commiſſioners preſented the new Inveſted Knight (the *Prince*) with the *Book* of Statutes; and having put the *black Velvet Cap*, adorned with Plumes of white Feathers upon his Head, the *Prince* ſtanding all this while before his Stall, made his double Obeyſances, firſt towards the High Altar, and then towards the Sovereign's Stall, whereupon the Knights Commiſſioners embracing him as their Fellow and Com-

panion, place him, or ſet him down uncovered in his aſſigned Stall; and from this laſt Action the whole Ceremony is denominated an INSTALLATION.

Which being performed, the Knights Commiſſioners making their Obeyſances came down into the Quire, and ſtood under their reſpective Banners.

CHAP. VIII.

The Inſtallation of the Dukes of Somerſet *and* Northumberland, *being the two Elect Knight-Subjects.*

THE Duke of *Somerſet* being next to be Inſtalled, the poor Knights and Officers of Arms, came down from the Steps before the Altar, and making their uſual Obeyſances, proceeded out of the Quire, the Officers of the Order, and Knights Commiſſioners following them, and thence to the *Chapter-Houſe* again, as they did when they went to fetch in the *Prince*, *Chap. 6.* whence they conducted the next Elect Knight, *ſcil.* the Duke of *Somerſet*, in the ſame Order as before, into the lower Space before his deſigned Stall, being the loweſt Stall on the Sovereign's Side; where having taken the Oath before recited, the Knights Commiſſioners conducted him up to his proper Stall, and inveſted him with the *Mantle*, *Hood* and *Great Coller*, the *Regiſter* reading unto him the ſeveral Admonitions before recited; after which they preſented him with the *Book* of Statutes; and having put on his *Velvet Cap* with Feathers, placed him in his Stall, all things being performed in the ſame manner, as before for Prince *George*.

Laſtly, the poor Knights, Officers of Arms, and Officers of the Order, conduct the Knights Commiſſioners out of the Quire again to the *Chapter-Houſe* in the ſame manner as before, whence they brought betwixt them the third, or youngeſt Knight Elect, *ſcil.* the Duke of *Northumberland*, and inſtalled him in the loweſt Stall on the *Prince's* Side, performing all things as before for the firſt and ſecond Knights.

All the three Knights being thus inſtalled, the Officers of the Order conducted the Knights Commiſſioners to their reſpective Stalls, and making their uſual Obeyſances, went to their own Seat.

Then the Officers of Arms came down from the Altar into the *Choire*, to hear Divine Service; the Kings of Arms firſt, and after them the poor Knights to their Seats, the Eldeſt firſt.

CHAP. IX.

The Offering of Gold *and* Silver.

THen Divine Service began, and the Communion, or Second Service being performed as far as to the *Offertory*, at the Words, *Let your Light ſo ſhine before Men*, &c. The poor Knights making their Obeyſances, aſcended to their Station at the Steps before the Altar, the *Junior* firſt, and after them the Heralds in like manner, flanking the ſaid Poor Knights.

Then

Then *Garter* came from his Form to the middle of the *Choire*, where making his uſual Obeyſances, he ſummoned down from their Stalls the two *Junior* new Inſtalled Knights, *viz.* the Dukes of *Northumberland* and *Somerſet*, who made their double Reverences in the Quire, and then placed themſelves juſt under their reſpective Banners.

Next he ſummon'd down the *Junior* Knight Commiſſioner, the Duke of *Beaufort*, and after him the *ſenior* Knight Commiſſioner, the Duke of *Albemarle*, and laſtly the *Prince*, who ſeverally making their Obeyſances, placed themſelves in like manner under their reſpective Banners.

The five Knights ſtanding thus under their ſeveral Banners, the two Kings of Arms, called *Clarenceux* and *Norroy* came down into the *Choire*, and having made their double Reverences, as alſo their Obeyſance to the Eldeſt Inſtalled Knight, *Prince George*, they conducted him up towards the Altar, and he having made his uſual Reverences both in the Quire and at the firſt ſtep, or *Hautpas*, kneeled down on one Knee at the upper ſtep (a Velvet Cuſhion being laid for that purpoſe) and offered *Gold* and *Silver*, two of the Prebends holding a large Gilt Baſin in which they received it, making their Reverence to the ſaid Knight Companion.

Having offered, the ſaid Kings of Arms making their uſual Obeyſances conducted him to the Eaſt end, or Paſſage into the Companions Stalls of the *Prince's* ſide where he made his Obeyſances, and ſo paſſing through the Stalls, went up to his proper Seat or Stall, where he repeated the uſual Obeyſances and reſted himſelf.

Then the two Senior Heralds conducted up the Senior Knight, Commiſſioner, the Duke of *Albemarle*, who offered in like manner and returned to his Stall by the ſame way or paſſage as the *Prince* did to his, the Princes being the 4*th.* and His the 7*th.* on that ſide.

Then the two next Heralds conducted up the Junior Knight Commiſſioner, the Duke of *Beaufort* who offered Gold and Silver in like manner, and returned to his Stall being the Eighth Stall on the Soveraign ſide by the Eaſt Paſſage or Entrance on that ſide, making the like Reverences.

Laſtly two other Heralds or Officers of Arms making their accuſtomed Reverences Conducted up the two Junior Inſtalled Knights together (being Pairs or Fellows to each other, which the Commſſioners were not) who making their uſual Obeyſances offered Gold and Silver in manner as aforeſaid, and return'd to their Reſpective Stalls, the Duke of *Somerſet* to the 13*th.* or loweſt Stall on the Soveraign ſide, and the Duke of *Northumberland* to the 13*th.* or loweſt Stall on the *Princes* ſide, each being conducted thither by one Officer of Arms.

CHAP. X.

The Concluſion.

THE Offering thus performed, and the Knights remaining in their Reſpective Stalls, the Officers of the Order at their peculiar Seat or Form, and the Officers of Arms and Poor Knights at the Steps before the Altar flanking on each ſide, Divine Service proceeded, and ending with particular Prayers for the Soveraign and Knights Companions the Benediction was pronounced.

Whereupon

Whereupon a Virger Reverently conducted down the two Prebends from the Altar to their own Seats among their Fellows in the Quire. Which done, *Garter* coming from his Form and making his Reverences in the Choir, Summon'd down all the Five Knights Companions, *viz.* the two Junior first, and then the three other one after another, who after their accuſtomed Reverences came and ſtood in the Quire under their Reſpective Banners.

Then the poor Knights deſcended from the Steps before the Altar by two & two the Junior firſt, and making their joint double Reverences in the middle of the Quire, proceeded out of the *Chappel*; then the Prebends deſcending from their Seats or Stalls into the middle of the Choir, made the like double Reverences jointly, and going out two by two the Junior firſt, followed the Poor Knights; Next to them the Heralds deſcended from the Steps before the Altar, and making the like double Reverences joyntly in the middle of the Quire, followed the Brebends by two and two, the Purſivants firſt, then the three Officers of the Order making the like Reverences followed the Officers of Arms, the *Regiſter* in the middle, *Garter* on the Right-hand and the *Uſher* on the Left, laſtly the five Knights Companions in order followed the ſaid Officers after having made their reſpective Obeyſance, *viz.* the Duke of *Northumberland* and Duke of *Somerſet* together being Fellows; Next the Duke of *Beaufort*, then the Duke of *Albemale*, and laſtly Prince *George* of *Denmark*.

Thus paſſing out of the Quire at the great Weſt Door under the Organ, they proceeded through the North Iſle and ſo through the Cloyſters, where the Poor Knights and Prebends falling back to the Right and Left, the Officers of Arms, and Officers of the Order conducted the ſaid Knights to the Deans Lodgings, their Trains being held up by the Quiriſters.

And thus the Ceremony ended.

To which only it is thought fit to add the Styles of the three New Inſtalled Knights as they are Engraven in *French* on their Plates ſet up at the Back of their reſpective Stalls, together with a Scheme of the 26 Stalls as they now ſtand filled up by that preſent Inſtallation.

The Style or Titles of Prince George *of* Denmark.

Du Tres-haut, Tres-puiſſant et Illuſtre Prince *George*, Prince Hereditaire de *Danemarc* (Frere unique du Tres-haut, Tres-puiſſant et Tres-excellent-Prince *Chriſtian* cinquieme du Nom, par la Grace de Dieu, Roy de *Danemarc Norvegue* etc.) et Chevalier du Tres-Noble Ordre de la Jartiere, *Enſtallè* au Chaſteau de *Windeſor le* VIII. *Jour d' Auril.* M.DCLXXXIIII.

In Engliſh thus.

" The moſt High, moſt mighty and Illuſtrious Prince *George*, Hereditary Prince of *Denmark* (only Brother to the moſt High, moſt mighty " and moſt Excellent Prince *Chriſtian* the fifth of that Name, by the *Grace* " *of God King* of *Denmark*, *Norway*, etc.) and *Knight of the moſt Noble* " *Order of the Garder.* Inſtalled at the *Caſtle* of *Windſor* the 8*th* day of " April. 1684.

The

The Arms and Quarterings, *&c.* are the ſame as his Brother the King of *Denmark's* whoſe Stall is the 2*d.* Stall on the Soveraigns ſide, only diſtinguiſhed with a Label of three points Ermine, and enſigned with a Coronet of Leaves and Pearles with one Arch.

The Stile or Titles of the Duke of Somerſet.

Du Tres-haut, puiſſant et Tres-noble Prince *Charles* Duc de *Somerſet*, Comte de *Hertford*, Vicomte *Beauchamp* de *Hache* Baron *Seymour* de *Troubridge* et Chevalier du Tres-noble Ordre de la Jartiere *Enſtallè* au Chaſteau de *Windeſor* le huitiême Jour d' *Avril* l'an MD.CLXXXIV.

In Engliſh thus.

" The moſt high mighty and moſt Noble Prince *Charles* Duke of *Somer-*
" *ſet*, Earl of *Hertford* Vicount *Beauchamp* of *Hache* and Baron *Seymour* of
" *Troubridge* and *Knight of the moſt Noble Order of the Garter.* Inſtalled at
" the *Caſtle* of *Windeſor* the 8*th* day of *April* in the year 1684.

The Banner and Plate conſiſt of 6. Quarterings, *viz.* 1*ſt* the Augmentation, 2*d. Seymour*, 3*d. Sturmy*, 4*th. Beauchamp* of *Hache*, 5*th. Fitz-Williams*, 6*th. Prinne.*

The Stile or Titles of the Duke of Northumberland.

Du Tres-haut, Puiſſant et Tres-Noble Prince *George Fitz-Roy* Duc et Comte de *Northumberland*, Vicomte *Falmouth* et Baron de *Pontfract*, et Chevalier du Tres-Noble Ordre de la Jartiere : *Enſtallè* au Chaſteau de *Windeſor* le huitiême Jour d' *Avril* l'an. MD.LXXXIV.

In Engliſh thus.

" The moſt High, mighty and moſt Noble Prince *George*, *Fitz-Roy*
" Duke and Earl of *Northumberland*, Vicount *Falmouth* and Baron of
" *Pontfract*, and *Knight of the moſt Noble Order of the Garter*; *Inſtalled* at
" the *Caſtle* of *Windeſor* the 8*th.* day of *April* in the year. 1684.

The Armes and Quarterings on the Banner and Plate are the Royal Armes with a Battoon ſiniſter Golonè or Componè of 6 pieces Ermine and Azure.

F I N I S.

A Scheme of the Stalls at WINDSOR, *as they were filled up* April *the* 8th. 1684.

	2.	1.	1.	2.	
	The King of *Denmark.*	The Sovereign of the Order.	The King of *Sweden.*	The Duke of *York.*	
3	The Prince of *Orange.*		The Prince Elector of *Brandenburgh.*		3
4	The Prince Elector *Palatine.*		Prince *George* of *Denmark.*		4
5	The Duke of *Ormond.*		The Duke of *Buckingham.*		5
6	The Earl of *Oxford.*		The Earl of *Strafford.*		6
7	The Duke of *Monmouth.*		The Duke of *Albemarl.*		7
8	The Duke of *Beaufort.*		The Earl of *Bedford.*		8
9	The Earl of *Arlington.*		The Duke of *Southampton.*		9
10	The Earl of *Mulgrave.*		The Duke of *Newcaſtle.*		10
11	The Earl of *Danby.*		The Duke of *Grafton.*		11
12	The Duke of *Richmond.*		The Duke of *Hamilton.*		12
13	The Duke of *Somerſet.*		The Duke of *Northumberland.*		13

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